## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

## OF STATE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION BIDS (ITB# 6013)

## TO BE RECEIVED ON FEBRUARY 16, 2016

Sealed Bids will be received by the City of Johnson City at their offices in Office of the Director of Purchasing, 209 Water Street, Johnson City, TN, until 10:00 A.M., February 16, 2016 and opened publicly at Office of the Director of Purchasing, 209 Water Street, Johnson City, TN at that hour. See Article 10.2 of the Supplemental Instructions for Bidders for instructions on how the bid documents should be submitted. The reading of the bids will begin at 10:00 A.M

The PROJECT is titled the Access Road from James H. Quillen V.A. Medical Center to W. Market Street (SR 34/US 11E). The PROJECT is includes the construction of approximately 0.3 miles of new roadway, including all demolition, grading, drainage, paving, sidewalk, pavement markings, and associated construction from Ashe Avenue to W. Market Street. The project also includes the replacement of the traffic signal at the intersection of W. Market Street and Indian Ridge Road.

# PROPOSAL CONTRACTS WILL BE ISSUED UNTIL THE TIME SET FOR OPENING BIDS

A Prime Contractor must prequalify with the Department of Transportation in accordance with Section 54-5-117 of the "**Tennessee Code Annotated**" and Tennessee Department of Transportation Rule 1680-5-3 prequalification of contractors before biddable proposals will be furnished.

The City of Johnson City hereby notifies all bidders that a 5% Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal has been set for this project and must be met or exceeded. All DBE firms must be TNUCP certified a listing of these firms can be found on TDOT's Small Business Development website and pre-qualified by the TDOT Construction Division as stated in the Local Government Guidelines Manual.

The **City of Johnson City** hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of age, race, color, religion, national origin, sex or disability in consideration for an award.

The **City of Johnson City** is an equal opportunity affirmative action employer, drug-free with policies of non-discrimination on the basis of race, sex, religion, color, national or ethnic origin, age, disability or military service.

Telephone **423-975-2716** 

### THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS IS RESERVED

Bidding documents and plans may be obtained for the amount of \$25.00 per set by contacting the **Purchasing Department**; **City Services Complex 209 Water Street Johnson City, TN 423-975-2716**. No partial sets will be available. Cash, company check, certified company check, or money orders for the amount of purchase shall be made to the City of Johnson City. This payment is not refundable. Information or questions about the project can be answered by the project manager **Lawrence Perry**; **601 East Main Street Johnson City, TN 423-232-2962.**